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APPARATUS FOR OPTICAL DISC  
RECORDING AND PLAYBACK  
APPARATUS

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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION AND  
STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action of March 22, 2007, please enter and consider the following remarks:

**The claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.**

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.